BECAUSE I AM ADVISED AND INFORMED THAT THE FOLLOWING IS REASONABLE AND NECESSARY IN VIEW OF THE SITUATION OF EMERGENCY, DO HEREBY PROCLAIM AND ISSUE THE FOLLOWING ORDER, EFFECTIVE AT 12:01 A.M., MONDAY, FEBRUARY 11, 1974, IF THE COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATIVE, EXECUTIVE AND LEGISLATIVE REVIEW APPROVES THE ORDER PRIOR TO THEN; OTHERWISE AT 12:01 A.M., TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 12, 1974:

- 1. Except as hereinafter provided, sales of gasoline by retail service stations to operators of motor vehicles bearing Maryland registration plates shall only be made on the following dates:
- (a) On even numbered calendar dates gasoline shall only be sold to operators of vehicles bearing personalized registration plates, and registration plates with the last digit ending in an even number. This shall not include ham radio operator plates. Zero is an even number.
- (b) On odd numbered calendar dates gasoline shall only be sold to operators of vehicles bearing ham radio plates or registration plates with the last digit ending in an odd number.
- (c) For commercial vehicles, other than those excluded from this Order, bearing registration plates with the last digit ending in a letter, the last number of the registration plate after disregarding the letter shall determine the calendar date for which gasoline may be sold to such vehicles.
- (d) For any calendar month in which there are 31 days, sales may be made on the thirty-first day of the month without regard to the registration plates of the motor vehicle.
- (E) SALES MAY BE MADE ON SATURDAY AND SUNDAY AND LEGAL HOLIDAYS TO THE EXTENT THE STATIONS ARE OPEN, WITHOUT REGARD TO THE REGISTRATION PLATES OF THE MOTOR VEHICLE.
- 2. (a) The Director of the Energy Policy Office, is hereby authorized to enter into agreements with other States for reciprocity with respect to the provisions of this order. He shall then declare which